The Committee Assignments Are Not Pleasing to the Minority.

REPUBLICANS TWO TO ONE

DeArmond Says They Were Made Up for Partisan Purposes Entirely.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGON, D. C., Dec. 5.—Speaker
Cannon to-day completed the organization of the House to-day by announcing committees so that when the House reconvenes Monday it will be ready to proceed at once with general legislation. At the request of Mr. Williams, the minority leader, an hour was given to general debate, during the course of which DeArmond (Democrat, Missourl,) criticised the numerical representation accorded the minority on the important committees. Mr. Payno replied on behalf of the majority. The greater portion of the time given to debate was

inaif of the majority. The greater portion, of the time given to debate was taken up in a discussion of the tariff pelley, and its effects. When the speaker brought down the gavel to-day, upon the adoption of the motion to adjourn, he merely announced that the House stood adjourned.

UNJUST TO DEMOCRATS.

Mr. Dearmond said that on each of the sixteen most important committees, each of which is composed of seventeen members, the Republicans have cloven members and the Democrats six. This, he said, was unjust, and unfair, and was an outrage to a minority which, he said, is entitled to a larger representation. Mr. Dearmond also charged that the committees were made up for partisan purposes. He said he would propose a resolution with a view to adding one Democrat to each of the sixteen committees.

Mr. Olmsted (Republican, Pennsylvania,) said that Mr. Clark, whom he designated as "the Democratic statistician, will and prophet," had already predicted a Democratic President and House in 1504, and added that if this prophesy should prove true, it would drive a hundred million dollars into hidding within thirty days. He characterized Democratic doctrine as "a Happy Hooligan brand of statemanship, which brings disaster upon everybody concerned."

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brand of statemanship, which brings dis-aster upon everybody concerned."

Mr. Williams (Democrat, Missississippi.) challenged a statement by Mr. Olmsted that wages were never higher than now. He said that the Republicans were so insistent on the protective policy that they want to give things to people who do not want them.

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THE COMMITTEES.

Mr. Payne referred to the criticisms of the committee assignments made by Mr. DeArmond. He reviewed the record to show that the speaker had not departed from precedents. The committees are as follows:

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Appropriations—Hemenway, Bingham, VanVoorhis, McCleary, Littaur, Brownlow, Gardner (Michigan), Burkett, Gliett (Massichusetts), Smith (Iowa), Marsh, Livingsion, Plerce, Benton, Taylor, Underwood, Erandige, Judelary—Jenkins, Parker, Alexander, Warner, Littlefield, Thomas (Iowa), Powers (Massachusetts), Nevin, Palmer, Pearre, Gillette (California), DeArmond, Smith Okentucky), Clayton, Heary (Texas), Little, Brantley,
Banking and Currency—Fowler, Prince, Calderhead, Loverlins, Douglas, Powers (Maine), Spalding, McMooran, Weems, McCreary, Danlels, Thayer, Lewis Pagett, Bartlett, Thompson, Pulo.

Interstate and Foreign Commerce—Hepburn, Sherman, Wanger, Mann, Loverling, Stevens, Burke, Esch, Cushman, Kyle, Townsend, Davey, Adamson, Shackelford, Ryan, Richardson (Alabama), Lamar (Florida).

Hord, Ryan, Richards, and (Florida).
Rivers and Harbors—Burton, Dovener, Bishop, Acheson, Alexander, Laurance, Davidson, McLachlan, Lorimer, Jones Washington), Bede, Lester, Bankhead, Sparkman, Ransdell, Burgess, Humph-

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erchant Marine and Fisherles-Grosor, Minor, Greene, Stevens, Fordney,
chter, Littleffeld, Humphrey, Flack,
Isall, Wilson (Illinois), Spight, Small,
is, McDermott Lucking, Goulden,
griculture-Wadsworth, Henry (Conticut), Wright, Haugen, Scott, Hass, Graff, Cromer, Lorimer, Erooks,
ins (Wisconsin), Lamb, Bowle, Burn, Lever, Brezeale, Cassingham,
ney.

Rodney.

Foreign Affairs—Hitt, Adams (Pennsylvania), Cousins, William A. Smith (Michigan), Charles B, Landis (Indiana). Perkins, Beidler, Foster (Vermont), Olitien, Capron, Lengworth, Dinsmore, Howard, Burleson, Scudder, Kehoe, Flood.

HAY ON AGAIN.

Military Affairs—Hull, Ketcham, Parker, Capron, Stevens, Dick, Mondell, Esch, Prince, Holliday, Young, Sulzer, Hay, Slaydon, Broussard, Mahoney, Danny, McGuire.

sted, Smith (Illinois), Warnock, Needham, Fuller, Lanning, Kinkaid, Jones (Virginia), Maddox, Williams (Illinois, Matterson (Teinessee), Robinson (Indiana, Hill (Mississippi).

Public Buildings and Grounde-Gillet (New York, Bartholdt, Burbigh, Powell (New York, Bartholdt, Burbigh, Powell (New Jersey), Conner, Martin, Minor, Rodenburg, Norris, Bankhead, Brantly, Thomas (North Carolina), Miers, Sheppard, Bearborough.

Labor-Gardner (New Jersey), Barctholdt, McCall, Vreeland, Foster (Vermont), Conner, Spalding, Goobol, Caidwell, Gilbert, Maddox, Hearst, Hughes (New Jersey).

Militia-Dick, Hull, Galnes (West Virginia), Smith (Illinois), Steenerson, Ames, Smith (Pennsylvania), Crowley, Ruppert, Wiley (Alabama), Bassett, Kolther.

Invalid Pensions-Bulloway, Gibson, Samuel W. Smith (Michigan), Calderhead, Deemer, Holliday, Hunter, Bradley, Tuller, Miers, Cowley, Lindsay, Snook, Lucking, Hopkins;
Pensions-Loudenslagor, Patterson (Pennsylvania), Draper, Campbell, Ames, Brown (Pennsylvania), Hogg, Longworth, Blichardson (Alabama), Wiley (Alabama), Melain, Houston, Croft.

District of Columbia-Babcock, Samuel W. Smith (Michigan), Allen, Wadsworth, Morrell, Powers (Massachusetts), Morgan, Slemp, Davis (Minnesota), Campbell, Wiley (New Jersey), Mayer, Cowherd, Sims, McAndrews, Pou, Gooch, Irrigation of Arid Lands-Mondell, Reeder, Tirrell, Dwight, Marshall, Cooper (Pennsylvania), Williamson, Underwood, Hitchocok, Vanduzer, Bell (Callfornia).

Jimmigration and Naturalization-Howoll (New Jersey), Adams (Pennsylvania), Skiles, Doughas, Evans, Gardner (Massachusetts), French, Ruppert, Robb, Ben, N. Livgniah), Pearre, Cussell, Dun-

Skilos, Bodens, Parks, Skilos, Bodens, Skilos, Brench, Ruppert, Robb, Benny, Livernash.

Census—Crumpacker, Burleigh, Hughes (West Virginia), Pearre, Cassall, Dunwell, Kennedy, Ames, Griffith, Hay, Burleson, Patterson (North Carolina), Robinson (Arkansas).

Library—McClury, McCall, Conner, Richardson (Tennessea), Howard, Printing—Charles B. Landis (Indiana), Perkins, Tate.

Industrial Arts and Expositions—Tawney, Sherman, Gardner (Massachusetts), Gardner (New Jersoy), Bowersock, Rodenberg, Howell (Utah), Porter, Woodyard, Bartlett, Maynard, Hamilin, Wynn, Legare, Harrison.

Mines and Mining—Brown (Wisconsin), Patterson (Pennsylvania), Scott, Huff, Dixon, Williamson, Howell (Utah), Tato, Dougherty, Howell (Pennsylvania), Stanley, Shober, Wilson (Arizona).

SCHOOLHOUSE CAR.

Prominent Citizen Accidentally Kills Horse He Was Riding.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY. N. C., Dec. E.—The Southern Railway school house car, which was recently completed at the Spencer shops, was carried to Greenville, S. C., to-day, where it will remain for some weeks in the charge of Professor W. L. Titus, of Scranton, Pa., who will give instruction to the employes of the Southern at Greenville and on branch roads, it is stated by Mr. Titus that the car is the city one of the kind in the known world, and it is understood that the Southern proposes is understood that the Southern proposes to put additional ears of the same sort into use on the system for the benefit of

The car is equipped with desks, maps, blackboards and stereorition apparatus, and, in fact, everything that is to be found in a modern school house. The airbrake instruction car, which has been operated here by the International Correspondence Schools for the past month, was also moved to Greenville to-day. While out hunting Thursday, Mr. Gray Steel, a prominent citizen of Cleveland, accidently shot and killed a fine horse which he was riding. The animal had been frightened by some object and was about to dismount its rider, who, in the attempt to balance himself, accidently fired the shotgun with the result as stated. car is equipped with desks, maps

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WANT JUDGE HANCOCK.

William and Mary Will Take Eight Days Holiday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, Dec. 5.—Governor
Montague has been asked to designate
Judge Clopton of Manchester, to hold
a special term of the Circuit Court here
next week, commencing Wednesday, the
Jun, 1 is understood that Judge Clopton
is willing to serve.
William and Mary College will close
for the holddys on December 22d, and
reopen on the 30th.

Roller Skate Man Dead. (By Associated Press.)

MUNCIE, IND., Dec. 5.—Thad. A. Neeley, of the adjustable roller skate, is
dead. His death was due to cerebral

UNDER ARREST FOR SHOOTING A NEGRO

Leg.

Prince, Helliday, Young, Sulzer, Hay, Slaydon, Broussard, Mahoney, Danny, McGuire.
Naval Affairs—Foss, Dayton, Loudens, Naval Affairs—Foss, Dayton, Loudens, Berler (Pennsylvania), Mudd, Cousins, Roberte, Vreeland, Brick, Brandegee, Loud, Meyer, Tate, Rixey, William W. Kitchin, Vandiver, Wade.
Postoffices and Pestroads—Overstreet, Gardner (Naw Jersey), Sperry, Hedge, Sibley, Snapp, Geobel, Steenerson, Stafford, Darragh, Murdock, Moon (Tennessee), Griggs, Cowherd, Wilson (New York), Finley, Kluttz, Kalanianaole, Public Lands—Lacey, Mondell, Miller, Needham, Martin, Fordney, Volstend, Dixon, Knoof, Shiras, McCarthy, Shafforth, Griffith, Burnett, Foster (Illinos), Rucker, Glass, Rodey, Indian Affairs—Sherman, Curtis, Lacey, Marshall, Brown, Burke, Knapp, Hermann, Bucknian, Hinshaw, Hogs, Stephens, Zeenor, Fitzgerald, Dougherty, McAndrows, Reid, Rodey, Territories—Hamilton, Brick, Capron, Southwich, Powers (Maine), Jackson (Maryland), Spalding, Lilley, Steveling, Moon (Tennessee), Lloyd, Robinson (Maryland), Spalding, Lilley, Steveling, Moon (Tennessee), Lloyd, Robinson (Maryland), Thayer, Russell, Reid, Mcduire, Wilson (Arisona).

Insular Affairs—Cooper (Wisconsin), Tawney, Crumpacker, Hamilton, Olm-

GOLD SEAL,

WINE CONNOISSEURS

PAW-PAW

the City Last DYSPEPSIA Night.

Mr. Lawrence Pool Goes on the Bench-Manchester Elks. Personal.

tell you that indigestion is responsible for more distress and suffering than almost anything else. It is brought on by improper foods, by eating too fast, by over-eating, or by an acid condition of the stomach. When it becomes chronic it is Dyspepsia, and an unhappy, irritable, despondent, nervous and sleepless condition is the result. There are very few people for the stomach with the composition of the stomach with the result. There are very few people find of a more or less troublesome nature. Happily my Paw-Paw is making the number less daily.—MUNYON, Are you distressed after eating? Does the food you eat seem to lie like a ball at the pit of your stomach? Does your stomach seem bloated after eating and full of gas?

Do you have dizziness and a heavy headache, as though your head weighed a ton?

Do you have what is commonly called

It Cures Indigestion,

Nervousness and

Sleeplessness.

tell you that indigestion is respon-

a ton?

Do you have what is commonly called Sour Stomach, or Heartburn, with water coming into the mouth?

Do you have throbbing or palpitating of the heart?

Do you have pain under the shoulder blades or in the chest?

Are you nervous, irritable, despondent and sleepless?

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If you have any of these symptoms you have indigestion—possibly dyspepsia. You are not digesting your food properly and the stomach needs help. A few bottles—maybe one bottle—of Munyon's Paw-Paw will set you right. It will cure your indigestion, or other form of dyspepsia or stomach trouble. It will tone up the nerves and bring back appetite and sleep.

Hundreds of your neighbors have been rid of dyspepsia, nervousness and sleep-lessness by Munyon's Paw-Paw. There is no reason why you should suffer or be distressed another day.

Munyon's Paw-Paw (Largo) bottle, \$1; Paw-Paw Laxativo Pills, \$2c. bottle. At all druggists.

FARMERS HAVE WAR PAINT ON

Rally at Farmville and Organize Tobacco Growers' Association.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FARMVILLE, VA., Dec. 5.-A large body of representative farmers met at courthouse to-day and organized a "Tobacco Growers' Association" with the

following officers: President, J. R. Morton; vice-president, W. D. M. Stokes; secretary, W. L. Clark. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, and an adjourn ed meeting was ordered for Hampden-Sydney College next Saturday, the 12th Sydney College next Saturday, the 12th.
Colonel John S. Cunningham, of North
Carolina, who was expected, sont a letter,
in which he expressed lively interest in
the organization, and offered his services to contribute to its success.
Enthusiasm ran high, and evidently the
fatners of this section have the war
paint on. The courthouse was packed
during the meeting.

GRAND JURY WILL MEET TO-MORROW

Joseph J. Hart Hit Samuel Left-wich in the

The December trem of the Hustings Court will convene to-morrow at 11 c'clock, and the day will be devoted to the work of the grand jury. There are about twenty cases sent on, and the following gentlemen will compose the jury. Messrs. E. S. Rose, I. Cohen, W. C. Camp, Junus B. Mosby, J. C. Phillips, C. Wett Taylor R. T. Hill, N. E. Anest-Camp, Junus B. Mosby, J. C. Finnips, G. Watt Taylor, R. T. Hill, N. E. Ancar-row and C. Ullman.

ALLEGED GAMBLERS.

Six Negroes Arrested by Sergt. Sowell and Officer Wyatt.

Sergeant Sowell and Policeman Wyatt pressed a negro named Sam Birch, living the rear of No. 607 East Main Street, in the rear of No. We hast main street, charging him with keeping a disorderly house, last night. Five negro men were arrested at the same time charged with being disorderly and gambling. The case will be heard by Justice John te-morrow,

Christmas Sale.

A pleasant annual event is the Christ-mas sale of the Circle of Industry of Centenary Methodist Church, and its for-

Only Two Arrests Made in

THE FUNERAL OF MISS M'RAE

Manchester Bureau Times-Dispatch, l No. 1102 Hull Street, Physicians Up to a late hour last night there were out two arrests made by the Manchester police force. The city was unusually quiet for a Saturday night.

George Mcredith, a young man, well known in the city, was arrested by Chief Lipscomb and Policeman Smith on the composite charge of drunk and disorderly, and being a vag. He was also faced with the charge of resisting the officers in the discharge of their duties. He was suited particular particu quite penitent after having been place behind the bars, and professed a profound

behind the bars, and professed a profound willingness to become one of the best behaved of citizens.

Lesle Garber was arrested for being too drunk for his own good.

CHIMNEY FIRE.

An clarm was turned in at 5:15 o'closs yeslerday afternoon, caused by a chimney after at Sixth and Hui Streets. The department reached the scene speedily, and no damage was done.

CHRISTMAS GOODS.

Mrs. Nichols has just began to fill upher toy storq and confectionery with Christmas goods. She has the largest stock and the greatest variety she has ever had, and has goods suitable for all kinds of gifts.

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FUNERAL OF MISS M'RAE.
The funeral of Miss Oline McRae will
be from Meade Memorial Church at 12
o'clock to-day, and the burial will be in

Hollywood.
Miss McRae died on Friday at Farmville, aged seventy-five years. She was the aunt of Mrs. J. Henry Patterson, Mrs. Benjamin Welsiger and Mrs. Augustine

Reyall,

Mr. Lawrence Poole, who has been chosen to fill the unexpired term of Judge W. I. Clopton, as judge of Chesterfield county, has qualified, and will preside at the December term. This court goes out of commission on February let.

'Squire Cheatham yesterday continued the case of Butler Keys, charged with robbery, until next Friday.

George Clarke, charged with creating a disturbance at Oak Grove Church, was fined \$2.50.

Jeffress Mosley paid \$2.50 for taking sand from the street in Oak Grove.

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PERSONAL AND NOTES.

Master Richard Alfred Bowen is better. The fourth anniversary of Rev. W. W. Sisk's pastorate will be celebrated at Clopton Street Church this morning.

Installation of the officers at Central Methodist Church will take place after the services to-night.

Rev. A. B. Sharpe will preach to-day at Fifth Street Church.

Rev. Father Waters, subject to-night at Sacred Heart will, be, "Are Catholics Idolaters."

Mrs. W. R. Smith, of Port Norfolk, is visiting Mrs. Vernon Bradshaw.

Miss Ada Galyon is visiting friends in the city.

MANCHESTER ELKS.

Manchester Lodge will, meet at the descence this property of the city and the city.

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Manchester Lodge will, meet at the lodge room this morning at 10 o'clock and hold memorial services. At 2:30 o'clock the lodge, members will-join Richmond Lodge at latter's home in Richmond and go to the Academy of Music, where the "Lodge of Sorrow" will be observed. The Reception Committee of Manchester Lodge at the Richmond exercises consists of the following Elks: Judge John H. Ingram, Augustine Royall, W. W. Friend, C. L. Page, B. P. Vaden and J. B. Moore, Jr. WELL DESERVED HONOR.

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Dr. E. L. Brandis, son of Mr. Wellington Brandis, of Manchester, is now professor and lecturer on pharmacy and taxicology at the University College of Medicine, in Richmond. He is highly esteemed by his associates on the faculty and the students.

A most pleasant time was had at the residence of Rev. Ben Dennis on Friday night, the occasion being a ten for the benefit of Meade Memorial Church. A benefit of Meade Memorial Church. A programme of rare excellence was given, which was taken part in by Mrs. Kate Barbour Howard, of Achmond; Misses Lucy and Margio Owens and Professor Ritchio.

ART NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Will R. Barnes, the Australian artist, engaged upon a portrait of Lillian

Russell.

An exhibition of Italian painting and sculpture will be field next year at Earl's Court, in London. A committee that been formed in Rome, with Prince Prospero Colonna, Sydic of the city, at

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A cast of the equestrian statue of the Condottiere Gattamelata at Padua, by Donatello, has been presented to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts by Francis Bartiett, who last year gave the Museum a cast of the equestrian statue of Bartolommeo Colleoni.

Judge Halsey, of the Superior Court of Wisconsin, recently decided that a newspaper had the right to criticise the work of an artist as long as it did not personally attack the artist himself. The decision was in a case in which a sculptor sued a newspaper for heavy damages because of a critical article published in reference to a model prepared in the competition for the making of a monument.

and the negro was carried to the City Hospital, where he was made comport (Visconsin), Hamilton, Olim
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MUNYON'S ALL QUIET IN PE-RU-NA PROTECTS THE LITTLE ONES

MANCHESTER Against Winter Catarrh in Its Many Ph ases.

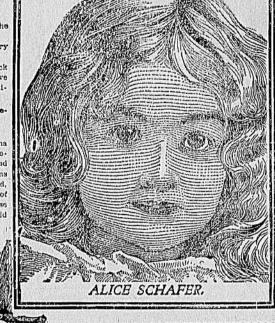
Neglected Colds in Children Often Bring Disastrous

house all the time.

Peruna should be kept in every house where there are children. Don't wait until the child is sick then send to a drug store. Have Peruna on hand-accept no substi-

Pe-ru-na Protects the Entire Household Against Catarrhal Diseases.

As soon as the value of Peruna is fully appreclated by every household, both as a preventive and cure of catarrhal affections, tens of thousands of lives will be saved, and hundreds of chronic, lingering cases of disease prevented. Peruna is a household safeguard.



egan Springs, Mo., writes: My little daughter, three me ned after an attack of en one bottle of Peruna in ed a complete cure. She Little girl can be. When friends say how well looks I tell them Peruna

"Our little daughter

Mrs. Schafer, 436 Bope Avo., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "In the early part of last year I wrote to you for advice for my daughter, Alice, four years of age. She has been a puny, sickly, alling child since her birth. She had convulsions and catarrhal fevers. I was always doctoring until we commenced to use Peruna. She grew strong and well. Peruna is a wonderful tonic; the best medicine I have ever used.

"I was in a very wretched condition when I commenced to take Perina. I had catarrh all through my whole body, but thank God, your medicine set me all right. I would not have

any other medicine.

"Peruna cured my baby boy of a very bad spell of cold and fover. He is a big healthy boy, fifteen months old. I have given him Peruna off and on cince he was born. I think that is why he is so well. I cannot praise Peruna enough. We have not had a doctor since we began to use Peruna—all praise to it.—

Be Sure to Have Perruma on Hand Dur- and articular theumatism is the result ing the Inclement Months of Fall and Winter.

Croup, capillary bronchitis, and articular rheumatism are the special banes of childhood. These all alike result from

One child catches cold and scares its mother into hysterics by having croup in the dead of night. the dead or night.

Another child catches cold, develops a stubborn cough that will not yield to ordinary remedies. The parents are filled with forbodings.

ed with forbodings.

Still another child catches cold and de velops that most faint malady of child-hood, capillary bronchitis. The declor is called, pronounces the case pneumonia, and if the child is lucky enough to live, it has developed weak lungs from which it may never recover.

And yet another child catches cold

come suddenly swollen and painful. ong disastrous the heart. All these mishaps are the di-rect result of neglected cold. Peruna is the safeguard of the family. If a child catches cold, Peruna should be used immediately.

A few doses of Peruna and a child's cold is gone. The apprehension of the parents flee away. The household is free from fear once more. If you do not receive prompt and satis-actory results from the use of Peruna,

actory results from the use of vrite at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a ull statement of your case and he will statement of your case and he will be used to pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The

Mr. Albert Lietzman. No. 1896 MilwauRee Avenue. Chicago, Ill., writes: "I am only too glad to inform you that I am feeling splendid and have nover felt better in my life. Through the advice of a friend I tried Peruna, and am glad to say it cured me to perfection. I began to tell a friend about Peruna the other day and I had no sooner commenced than he told me his folks have kept Peruna in the house for the last five years. I am sure I wouldn't be without it. Mother also uses it to keep herself in good health." Ask Your Druggist for free Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1904

SPECIAL LETTERS FROM ISTHMUS OF PANAMA

Times-Dispatch Sends Experienced Correspondent to Write Up Real Conditions There.

Pe-ru-na Kept In the Years.

Mr. Albert Lietzman, No. 1596 Milwau-

The events of the last few weeks on the Isthmus of Panama are of worldwide importance. A revolution occurred there on November 3, the people of the Isthmus casting off the bonds that hold them in national unity with Colombia, and establishing the Republic of Panama. That republic, the youngest of all the nations, now exists as an independent do jure government, having been recognized by the United States, Germany and France. Its permanency is assured by the fact that the United States has assumed a protectorate over it, that action having been taken with a view to guaranteeing our own rights in the ship canal it is proposed to construct across the Isthmus.

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All of these things the people know; but the true inwardness of the situation in that tropic land is as a scaled book to the people of the United States. The revolution was a bloodless one; but who knows how it was brought about, the steps leading up to it, and the nature of the sentiment which caused the Panamaians to create for themselves an independent nation? It is known that the provisional government which has been established is in the hands of a Junta; but who knows the caliber of men composing that Junta, their capacity for government, their capabilities for administering the trust reposed in them, and their standing before the people? It is known that there are fair prospects of an early conclusion of the canal negotiations; but who knows the recent state of the canal project, and the various other questions with which this new republic will have to do? Who knows the prospects of the country, the outlook for its new government, its sources of revenue, resources, methods, etc.?

These are things about which the American public is in Ignoration, and it

ods, etc.?
Those are things about which the American public is in ignorance, and it is essential that that ignorance be also pelled before Congress settles itself seriously to consideration of the canal project. The Times-Dispatch proposes to have its share in enlightening the American people on all of these points, and with that idea in view, Mr. Merrill A.

HAPPY RESULTS OBTAINED

By the Use of the New Scrip Antiseptic.

It wouldn't take long to number the hairs in the heads of some people, the reason being they haven't many to number. In most instances, however, the fault is their own. A gorm at the root soon plays havoe with the most luxuriant growth and causes it to fade and fall out. A remedy for this has recently been discovered, called Newbro's Herpicide, that acts by destroying the germ that does the damage, besides removing all impurities from the scalp. In addition it permits new life and vigor to enter the scalp, and happy results are sure to be obtained from its use. Try it. Sold by leading druggists. Send loc. In stamps for sample to The Herpicitee Co., Detroit, Mich." "Owens & Minor Drug Co. Special Agents." cial Agents,"



he Has Gene to Panama to Write clai Letters for The Times-Dispatch

Teague, our accredited representative, salled on Tuesday, November 17, from New York to Colon, the Carlbbean seaport of the new republic. From Colon he will cross the lathmus to Panama, following the route of the proposed canal, and during a stay of several canal, and during a stay of several weeks on the Isthmus will make a thorough investigation into every phase of the situation there. His researches will include every detail of the formation of the new republic; its present state, future prospects,; as well as personal studies of the character and caliber of the men in charge of affairs. In order to do this work properly, Mr. Teaque will visit every accessible portion of the Isthmus, talking with the people, learning their sentimonts, and by every test of intelligent investigation inquire into all that can concern the prospects and prosperity of this new baby among nations, with whom the United States is about to enter into the most intimate associations.

The result of this inquiry will be reported in the form of special letters to The Times-Dispatich, each one of which will be illustrated by photographs taken by the correspondent. The series will include about twenty-five letters, each one written in an entertaining style, and dealing with some phase of one Panamaian situation which is dipertinent interest. Coming as frequent in the series will get a long way toward enlightening the American people as to true conditions on the Isthmus. works on the Isthmus will make a

Contraband Birds.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 5.—Game Warden John Weatherly last wight at High Point selzed a package addressed to W. M. Luck, Richmond, and shipped by C. S. Spencer, of Edgar, N. C. The packwas shipped as containing twenty.

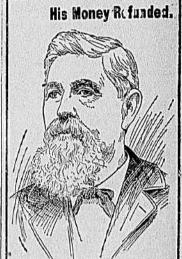
last night at the express office here. It was sent from Durham, addressed to Mrs. Wis sent from Durham, addressed to Mrs.

W. W. Reed, Mount Vernon, N. Y. The
agent of the express company at Durham
says he cannot remember who shipped
them, but thinks it was a colored man.

Mr. Weatherly says he will aid his
memory by instituting a presecution, and
he has no fears of not finding the party
who sent them, and from his tone he has

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